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SEVENTH DAY

(Wednesday, October 11, 1972)

The Senate met at 5:10 o'clock p.m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Senator Aikin.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present:

Aikin	Kennard
Beckworth	Kothmann
Bernal	Mauzy
Blanchard	McKool
Bridges	Moore
Brooks	Patman
Christie	Schwartz
Connally	Sherman
Creighton	Snelson
Grover	Tippen
Harrington	Wallace
Harris	Watson
Herring	Wilson
Hightower	Word
Jordan	

Absent—Excused

Bates Hall

A quorum was announced present.

Reverend W. H. Townsend, Chaplain, offered the invocation.

On motion of Senator Aikin and by unanimous consent, the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was dispensed with and the Journal was approved.

Leaves of Absence

Senator Hall was granted leave of absence for today on account of important business on motion of Senator Word.

Senator Bates was granted leave of absence for today on account of important business on motion of Senator Bridges.

Morning Call Dispensed With

On motion of Senator Word and by unanimous consent, Morning Call was dispensed with.

Committee Substitute
Senate Bill 16 on Third Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its third reading and final passage:

C. S. S. B. No. 16, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to competitive rates and rate-making authority for all lines of insurance except those specified herein as being subject to the provisions of this Act; providing procedures, methods, regulations, and safeguards for carrying out the provisions of this Act; etc., and declaring an emergency."

(President in Chair)

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—20

Aikin	Jordan
Beckworth	Kothmann
Bernal	Mauzy
Bridges	McKool
Brooks	Schwartz
Christie	Sherman
Grover	Snelson
Harrington	Tippen
Herring	Wallace
Hightower	Wilson

Nays—8

Blanchard	Moore
Creighton	Patman
Harris	Watson
Kennard	Word

Paired—2

Connally Hall

Absent—Excused

Bates

PAIRED

Senator Connally (present), who would vote "Nay," with Senator Hall (absent), who would vote "Yea."

At Ease

The President announced at 5:20 o'clock p.m. the Senate would Stand at Ease Subject to Call by the Chair.

In Legislative Session

The President called the Senate to order as In Legislative Session at 5:27 o'clock p.m. today.

Message From the House

Hall of the House of Representatives,
Austin, Texas,
October 11, 1972.

Hon. Ben Barnes, President of the Senate.

Sir: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following:

H. B. No. 52, Relating to the creation, establishment, administration, powers, duties, and bond authority of the Texas Harbor and Terminal Commission; adding Chapter 12 to the Water Code; and declaring an emergency.

Respectfully submitted,
DOROTHY HALLMAN,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

House Bill on First Reading

The following bill received from the House, was read the first time and referred to the Committee indicated:

H. B. No. 52, To Committee on Finance.

(President Pro Tempore in Chair)

At Ease

The President Pro Tempore announced at 5:30 o'clock p.m. the Senate would Stand at Ease Subject to Call of the Chair.

In Legislative Session

The President Pro Tempore called the Senate to order as In Legislative Session at 5:35 o'clock p.m. today.

Reports of Standing Committees

By unanimous consent, Senator Aikin submitted the following report for the Committee on Finance:

S. B. No. 55

By unanimous consent, Senator Moore submitted the following report for the Committee on State Affairs:

S. B. No. 54

Recess

On motion of Senator Aikin the Senate at 5:37 o'clock p.m. took recess until 10:00 o'clock a.m. tomorrow.

SEVENTH DAY

(Continued)

(Thursday, October 12, 1972)

After Recess

The Senate met at 10:00 o'clock a.m., and was called to order by the President.

Reverend W. H. Townsend, Chaplain, offered the invocation.

Leaves of Absence

Senator Blanchard was granted leave of absence for today on account of illness on motion of Senator Hightower.

Senator Grover was granted leave of absence for today on account of important business on motion of Senator Hightower.

Senator Kennard was granted leave of absence for today on account of important business on motion of Senator Brooks.

Reports of Standing Committees

By unanimous consent, Senator Aikin submitted the following reports for the Committee on Finance:

H. B. No. 75

H. B. No. 52 (amended)

By unanimous consent, Senator Creighton submitted the following report for the Committee on Natural Resources:

S. B. No. 52 (amended)

House Bill 75 Ordered Not Printed

On motion of Senator Bridges and by unanimous consent, H. B. No. 75 was ordered not printed.

**Senate Concurrent Resolution 16
On First Reading**

The following resolution was introduced, read first time and referred to the Committee indicated: